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Inspection Report

Permit Number:	C0070004
Inspection Type:	PARTIAL
Inspection Date:	Wednesday, August 13, 2003
Start Date/Time:	8/13/2003 9:00:00 AM
End Date/Time:	8/13/2003 3:00:00 PM
Last Inspection:	Wednesday, July 02, 2003

Inspector: Joe Helfrich, Reclamation Specialist III

Weather: Sunny, 80

Accepted by: dhaddock 9/4/2003

Permitee:	CASTLE GATE HOLDING	CO
Operator:	CASTLE GATE HOLDING	ററ

Site: CASTLE GATE MINE

Address: PO BOX 30, HELPER UT 84526-0030

County: CARBON

Permit Type: PERMANENT COAL PROGRAM

Permit Status: ACTIVE

Current Acreages		Mineral Ownership	Types of Operations		
7,619.00	Total Permitted	✓ Federal	Underground		
63.00	Total Disturbed	✓ State	Surface		
29.20	Phase I	\Box County	✓ Loadout		
18.20	Phase II	✓ Fee	✓ Processing		
	Phase III	☐ Other	Reprocessing		

Report summary and status for pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Divison Orders, and amendments:

The purpose of this visit was to conduct a partial inspection of the Castle Gate facility. There are no amendments pending.

Inspector's Signature:	Date	Wednesday, August 13, 2003

Joe Helfrich, Reclamation Specialist III

Inspector ID Number: 1

Note: This inspection report does not constitute an affidavit of compliance with the regulatory program of the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining 1594 West North Temple, Suite 1210, PO Box 145801, Salt Lake City, UT 84114-5801 telephone (801) 538-5340 • facsimile (801) 359-3940 • TTY (801) 538-7223 • www.ogm.utah.gov



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REVIEW OF PERMIT, PERFORMANCE STANDARDS PERMIT CONDITION REQUIREMENTS

- 1. Substantiate the elements on this inspection by checking the appropriate performance standard.
 - a. For COMPLETE inspections provide narrative justification for any elements not fully inspected unless element is not appropriate to the site, in which case check Not Applicable.
 - b. For PARTIAL inspections check only the elements evaluated.
- 2. Document any noncompliance situation by reference the NOV issued at the appropriate performance standard listed below.
- 3. Reference any narratives written in conjunction with this inspection at the appropriate performace standard listed below.
- 4. Provide a brief status report for all pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Divison Orders, and amendments.

		Evaluated	Not Applicable	Comment	Enforcement
1.	Permits, Change, Transfer, Renewal, Sale	✓			
2.	Signs and Markers	✓		✓	
3.	Topsoil				
4.a	Hydrologic Balance: Diversions	✓			
4.b	Hydrologic Balance: Sediment Ponds and Impoundments				
4.c	Hydrologic Balance: Other Sediment Control Measures				
4.d	Water Monitoring				
4.e	Effluent Limitations				
5.	Explosives				
6.	Disposal of Excess Spoil, Fills, Benches				
7.	Coal Mine Waste, Refuse Piles, Impoundments				
8.	Noncoal Waste				
9.	Protection of Fish, Wildlife and Related Environmental Issues				
10.	Slides and Other Damage				
11.	Contemporaneous Reclamation				
12.	Backfilling And Grading				
13.	Revegetation	✓		✓	
14.	Subsidence Control				
15.	Cessation of Operations				
16.8	a Roads: Construction, Maintenance, Surfacing				
16.b	Roads: Drainage Controls				
17.	Other Transportation Facilities				
18.	Support Facilities, Utility Installations	✓		✓	
19.	AVS Check				
20.	Air Quality Permit				
21.	Bonding and Insurance				
22.	Other				

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2. Signs and Markers

Identification signs were in place at the #1 Adit and Hardscrabble facilities. They displayed the required information.

13. Revegetation

In spite of the sparse moisture this season the vegetation at the #1 Adit is doing well.

18. Support Facilities, Utility Installations

The power poles and cables that extend from the Adit to Hardscrabble were being dismantled and removed.